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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

Jul 23, 2019

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

STATE OF WASHINGTON,

Plaintiff,

v.

ALEX M. AZAR II, in his official capacity

as Secretary of the United States

Department of Health and Human

Services; and UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND

HUMAN SERVICES,

Defendants.

No. 2:19-cv-00183-SAB

**ORDER SETTING BRIEFING
SCHEDULE**

On July 12, 2019, the parties filed a Joint Status Report Addressing Case Scheduling, in which the parties set forth an agreed-upon briefing schedule. ECF No. 29. It is the Court's intention to rule on the parties' cross-motions for summary judgment prior to the November 22, 2019 effective date.

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Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. The following briefing schedule is **set**:

a. On or before **July 26, 2019**, Defendants shall produce the administrative record (AR) to Plaintiff and file a certified list of the contents of the AR with the Court.

b. On or before **August 19, 2019**, Defendants shall file their motion for summary judgment and file their response to the Complaint.

c. On or before **September 20, 2019**, Plaintiff shall file a consolidated opposition and cross-motion for summary judgment.

d. On or before **October 4, 2019**, Defendants shall file a consolidated opposition and reply.

e. On or before **October 18, 2019**, Plaintiff shall file its reply.

2. A hearing on parties' cross-motions for summary judgment is **set** for **November 7, 2019, at 10:00 a.m.**, in Spokane, Washington.

IT IS SO ORDERED. The Clerk of Court is directed to enter this Order and forward copies to counsel.

DATED this 23rd day of July 2019.



A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Stanley A. Bastian". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Stanley" and last name "Bastian" clearly legible.

Stanley A. Bastian
United States District Judge